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**124 NORTH KOREAN TROOPS
 KILLED ALONG PARALLEL IN MAY**

On 26 May 1949, the National Defense Department announced the following results of the military action along the 38th Parallel during May:

1. The North Korean troops who invaded the Ongjin area met strong resistance by the National Army and the constabulary. After a fierce battle, the enemy's force was completely repelled on 25 May.
2. The result of the battle during the week 18 to 24 May is as follows:

a. Total number of invasions by North Korean troops during week 25

Total enemy strength 1,500

Enemy killed 124

Enemy captured 1

Unaccountable number of enemy weapons and installations, including warehouses, captured or destroyed [sig].

b. National Army casualties:

Killed 7

Wounded 14

c. Constabulary casualties:

Killed 3

Wounded 14

Number of civilians kidnapped by enemy 2

Number of police stations destroyed by enemy fire 1

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